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REMARKS

The amendments to the claims and to the specification correct an inadvertent typographical error. In particular, the amendments include an "OH" group in the 7 position of the erythromycin A derivative consistent with the structure of erythromycin A, as exemplified by page 3602 of The Merck Index - 9th Edition - Windholz et al - Merck & Co., Inc., Rahway, New Jersey, 1976 (copy attached).

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